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Applicant:

Dejaeger

Serial No.:

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Filed:

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For:

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR OPERATING A CHECKOUT SYSTEM

HAVING A DISPLAY MONITOR WHICH DISPLAYS BOTH

TRANSACTION INFORMATION AND CURTOMER-SPECIFIC MESSAGES

DURING A CHECKOUT TRANSACTION

Group:

2876

Examiner:

LaBaze, Edwyn

Durham, North Carolina September 18, 2007

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Amendment Transmittal

Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application, responsive to an Office Action dated March 19, 2007.

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- [] Enclosed is our check for \$ _____ to cover the filing fee.
 - [] Charge the fee of \$ _____ to Credit Card (see attached form).
 - [X] Charge the fee of \$ 1020 for a 3 month extension of time to Credit Card (see attached form). This letter petitions for a 3 month extension of time to respond.
- 4. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this amendment, including any fee for extension of time or credit any overpayment to Law Offices of Peter H. Priest **Deposit Account No. 50-1058**.

Respectfully submitted,

Peter H. Priest Reg. No. 30,210

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In response to the Official Action of March 19, 2007, please amend the above identified application as follows: